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Ralph Regula, candidate for Congress, fields questions from students in Lowry Center Pit. (Photo by Larry Kurth)

## Financial Discrepancy Revealed In Regula Campaign Donation

by Bill Henley

State Senator Ralph S. Regula, running for Congress in Ohio's 16th district, visited the College Sunday afternoon, Oct. 8, and answered questions from a gathering of students in a "Rap With Ralph" session in the Lowry Center Pit. Meanwhile, a seeming discrepancy appeared between Regula's reported and actual campaign practices. Regula had said, according to the October

4 Evening Independent, "My campaign committee has voluntarily limited the dollar amount of money it will accept from any individual or group other than the Republican Party to \$1,000 in order to ensure that no conflict of interest could possibly occur." But, according to an October 5 Cleveland Press report, Regula received \$5,000 from the American Medical Association as a part of that organization's "effort to elect legislators who will support AMA views".

The subject of Regula's campaign practices did not come up in the Sunday afternoon "rap session" except when Regula mentioned that his campaign funding was "open" and that no contributions had been taken before April (effective date of the Fair Campaign Practices Act). However, topics that were discussed included Vietnam, tax reform, ecology and conservation, busing, the welfare problem, the

volunteer army and Regula's political philosophy.

Regula advocated complete withdrawal from Southeast Asia "as soon as possible" and said that policy should be made to prevent future Vietnams: "We must recognize, as a nation, that we cannot police the world." But he said that no target date could be set, that any existing treaty obligations ought to be honored, and that to promise withdrawal of all American fogves from Southeast Asian waters was "unrealistic". He admitted that he was "not enamored" of the South Vietnamese government of President Thieu, but asserted that we still have a responsibility to it, and that "whatever we may think of the Thieu government, the 19 million people of South Vietnam cannot be abandoned or ignored." Asked whether he thought a coalition government without Thieu would be acceptable, he replied that

## McGovern, Nixon Tied Students Canvass Community

A small but dedicated group of Wooster students left Lowry Center last Saturday to begin the fourth weekend of Wayne County canvassing by McGovern volunteers. Saturday and Sunday's canvasses covered the Rittman area for the first time. Previous canvasses had polled the first and second Wooster precincts.

Since September 17, the door-knocking campaign has yielded 2,135 responses. In addition, student volunteers have conducted on-campus canvasses which have brought a total of 1750 student responses.

The canvass, say the volunteers, is not a way of getting more votes for any candidate, although many

people approached by canvassers think that they are campaigning. According to Bill Whitmore, Wayne County Coordinator for McGovern/Shriver, the canvass is simply an opinion poll, but the fact that the canvasser is a McGovern volunteer sometimes influences the answers received. "People tend to tell you what they think you want to hear."

Canvassers are equipped with kits which instruct them to rate responses in terms of how the person feels about Nixon and McGovern. The response of Wooster and Rittman residents polled so far indicates that the presidential race in Wayne County is going to be a close one.

### CANVASS RESULTS:

Pro-McGovern	21%
Leaning to McGovern	14%

Undecided or no answer	30%
Leaning to Nixon or hostile to the canvasser	11%
Pro-Nixon	24%

If "leaning" votes are combined with definite votes the percentages are even: 35% McGovern, 35% Nixon.

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## Colloquium Alternative Offered

by Karen Runge

The seed of the Integrated Freshman Quarter (IFQ) was planted last December when Mr. Henry Herring, Assistant Professor of English, began searching for alternatives to the Freshman Colloquium. His ideas took form in the IFQ, an experimental program which replaces Colloquium for participating freshmen.

Seeing the Colloquium program as somewhat "intellectually fragmented," Herring felt the need for an effective introduction to college education with sufficient guidance for the student. Impressed by several innovations at the University of California at Berkeley, where a student may spend as much as two years involved in a single program, he began developing the IFQ, using as a basis the concept of taking one subject at a time and pursuing it from all possible angles. A brochure



Two films dealing with Indian temples and temple art will be shown Sunday, October 15 in Mateer auditorium at 7:30 p.m. *Kailash at Allora* will look at temple carvings by Buddhist, Hindu and Jain sculptors while *Mahabalipuram* (7 pagodas) will focus on rock-hewn Indian temples. The program is free and open to the public.

sent to all freshman applicants in late July described the program as being "a coherent pattern of studies and observations designed to help him (the student) start making informed, intelligent choices about his educational goals and how best to achieve them."

The IFQ staff was formed -- Herring, Mr. Bradlee Karan, Assistant Professor of Political Science, and Mr. William Kieffer, Professor and chairman of the Department of Chemistry. After working out certain details of the quarter, such as the grading process and an end-of-the-quarter essay, they submitted the program which

was approved by a faculty vote at the end of February.

To apply for the IFQ, a student was to send a letter stating his reasons for wanting to be in it. About 10 percent of the entering class responded, and from these students, 42 were selected as program participants.

IFQ is laid out in three segments. The first is a course labeled "Theory of Disciplines," in which the student examines the three major disciplines -- humanities, natural sciences, and social sciences -- as a field of "intellectual investigation," and then makes comparisons based

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## 'Racism' Inaugurates Colloquium Series

By Eleanor De Witt

"Racism in America" was the topic of a panel discussion held last Monday as the first in a series of panels to be presented for Freshman Colloquium.

The panel members, six representing the faculty and two students, began by each giving a prepared statement on the subject as seen from his own academic and personal perspective.

David Moldstad, Professor of English, began by speaking of the institutional racism demonstrated by the College in the curriculum. The richness of the American culture is due, he said, to the great diversity of racial groups within it, and a healthy society must be aware of this

and acknowledge it. But the curriculum does not reflect the true cultural situation, since it is structured along well-established and traditional lines. He called for an increase in the number of Afro-American studies courses on campus and admitted that this would necessarily force a restructuring of the curriculum.

The idea of diversity was picked up again by Gerald Sanders, Assistant Professor of Speech, who foresaw a goal of a union of races within diversity. This can be done, he feels, by first eliminating the "rhetoric of confrontation" which so many times obscures and complicates the issues and then actively working toward reconciliation.

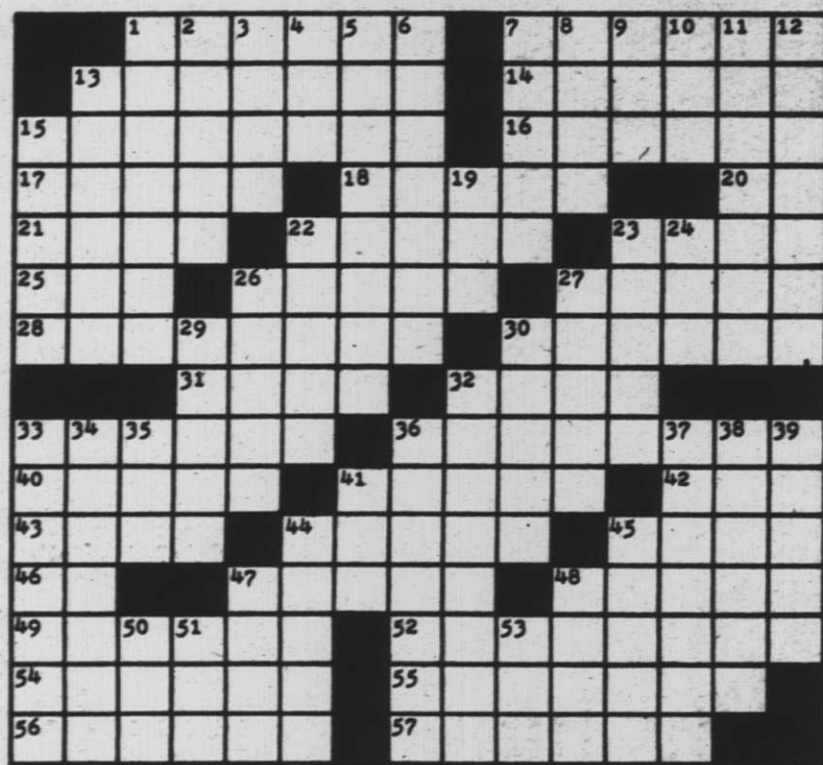
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Students enrolled in Integrated Freshman Quarter learn scientific concepts demonstrated by Professor Kieffer.



In two issues of VOICE (Sept. 22 and Sept. 29) earlier this year, students expressed their opinions on the morality or immorality of abortion. The exchange was disappointingly one-sided, with the representative of the anti-abortion stance being much more convincing. The reason for this was that the two respondents did not answer the two most fundamental questions underlying the whole abortion issue, namely: 1) is the fetus a human being, and 2) do we have the right to destroy a human being who has transgressed no laws of society. The pro-abortion camp is hereby invited to defend its stance with regard to the two questions above. Please restrict your arguments to ideas not already expressed in the previous two issues of VOICE.



## ACROSS

1. Layers
7. Sullen
13. Protective Wall
14. Actress Nerle
15. Swollen, as veins
16. Halo
17. Troop Encampment
18. Partly Frozen Rain
20. Hospital Employee
21. French City
22. God
23. Type Size
25. Individual
26. Paddled
27. Sword
28. Armed Naval Vessel
30. Rest
31. Fixe
32. Molten Rock
33. Market Places
36. French Satirist
40. British-Indian Soldier
41. Toxic Protein
42. Business Abbreviation
43. Branch of Accounting
44. Rescued
45. Bread: comb. form
46. "Monopoly" Property
47. Golfer George
48. Boys' Stories Writer
49. Philippine Head-hunter
52. Disinclined to Talk
54. Bathing Suit
55. Word Roots
56. Pennsylvanian City
57. Brief Suspension

## DOWN

1. Moslem Enemy of Crusaders
2. Food Derived from Ox
3. Political Contest
4. Military Address
5. Mosaic Squares
6. Artist's Studio
7. Exchange Medium
8. Death Notice
9. Part of Sleep Cycle
10. Sphere
11. Places of Origin
12. Trap
13. Film on Copper Coins
15. Poisonous Secretion
19. Airport Info. (abbr.)
22. Coolidge's VP
23. Of the Church
24. African Tribe
26. Pass the Time
27. Hills of Rome
29. Siberian Region
30. Mad
32. Tear Jaggedly
33. Attribute
34. Southern State
35. Harvest Goddess
36. Construction Worker
37. Pneumatic Weapons
38. Burial
39. Hold in Contempt
41. Flatfish
44. Silk Fabric
45. Voice Parts
47. Cui
48. Loves: Fr.
50. Approves
51. Dye Brand
53. Reference Book (abbr.)

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# Letters

## Football Fans Impolite

Dear Editor:

We would like to extend our appreciation to all members of the College community who offer their support to the Scot Marching Band by their attentive participation in the half-time activities. We enjoy the tradition of being well received both on our home field and at other colleges. It is a shame, we feel, that during the first home game the visiting band was given a poor reception. We think this was a misrepresentation of the normal hospitality of this campus.

Surely a liberally-educated mind must be willing to accept the fact that perfection is not a universal truth. While we admit that the half-time situation was humorous, it was certainly no justification for the humiliation of participants making an effort to provide entertainment for those present. We feel that last Saturday's uncharacteristic display of immaturity was just that.

Officers and Row Leaders  
The Scot Marching Band

## Sections Neglect CC Guidelines

Mr. Editor:

Once again Campus Council has failed to deal effectively with a problem. The fact that the faculty of this college voted by a large majority to eliminate Hell-Week did not affect them. The fact that Hell-Week is a disturbance to the majority of the students on this campus did not affect them. The fact that Hell-Week presents a generally childish image of the College to the surrounding community did not affect them. An organization that can conclude homecoming weekend activities are immature should also be able to recognize that

Hell-Week is easily as immature and outdated. The present guidelines proved last year to be ineffective in dealing with even the most flagrant violations. Council has once again given the sections the right to do as they please. We think it is about time Campus Council accepted the fact that the sections have refused to deal responsibly with any reasonable guidelines. The sections have forced the Council to take more radical action. We hope they will.

Calvin M. Bear - Dick James - Merle L. Smith

## McGaw Declared Disaster Area

McGaw Chapel is a failure. Maybe we should have seen it coming when the builders discovered bedrock on the site before having dug far enough to reach the level where bedrock should have been.

But we now know what we are stuck with. Our fine new chapel came complete with cracked and cracking floors, walls, ceilings, roofs, stairs and furniture. The stair case behind the organ is particularly bad, and the walls of the northeast tower are consistently wet.

The new hardwood floor covering the platform has hidden the cracks and a puddle left from the crack in the northeast wall. Acoustics are lousy. The hardwood floor was supposed to help, but it now looks like rugs will be needed to absorb some of the sound. The rumor persists that theater seats were in the original plans for the building, but instead we find hardwood pews, with several poorly fastened to the floor.

The sound system is generally adequate, but an Audio - Visual Department report last year stated that more speakers are needed, in addition to other peripheral equipment. Near the end of last year a speaker had to be installed to let the choir hear the proceedings. When the sound crew turns it on, it does a satisfactory job. There is a rumor that the sound engineer hired to design and install the Chapel sound system was paid off and dismissed before any knowledgeable authority had checked his work.

The indirect lighting system largely inadequate, especially near the platform. Indeed, the platform lighting was so bad that quartz lamps had to be installed on a boom above the platform for use whenever an orchestra or chorus needs to see its music. At the northeast corner, stationary spotlights had to be installed to get sufficient light for performances in that area.

Another very obvious error is the movie screen, at least twice as tall as it is wide. Such a screen is extremely good for showing two small-screen movies simultaneously, one above the other, but woefully inadequate for cinemascope pictures. And the screen is not perpendicular to the beam from the projection booth, so only part of the picture may be in focus at any one time.

Then there are other bothersome items. The projection booth door is noisy and frequently disturbing. Snow-melting mats have not been positioned most effectively and are missing in some very important areas. Some of the new furniture used primarily by Westminster Church has already cracked. And it is rumored that the architect assumed cinder and cement block ones cost about the same and designed the building accordingly.

The Administration must be aware of these problems. In September, Arthur Palmer, a Vice-President of the College, wrote a long letter to the contractor, T. Bogner and Sons, describing the cracks and

leaks and expressing the desire that they be taken care of by the first anniversary. Also in September, Hal Clossen and several others inspected the building and reported on their findings, including the cracks. They made several recommendations and time will tell if anyone pays attention to them.

All this leads to several questions. Who suggested that Victor Christ-Janer be hired as architect? Who suggested this particular plan as being most desirable? Who was supposed to be tying things together for the College, to keep us from the disaster we have? Why was the building not planned better? Who is to be blamed...

I recommend that a Commission be appointed to investigate and make recommendations, but not whitewash. Consisting of non-paid members, none of whom have anything to lose by commission revelations, the commission might be able to trace the bungling and, with luck, initiate some desirable changes.

President Drushal once remarked, during a speech delivered in the Chapel, that the building was designed to satisfy the needs of everybody.

He might have added that it succeeded in satisfying the needs of nobody!

Name Withheld





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## Committee 'Schizoid,' 'Fiddler' Too Sappy

Bob Hetherington

"The undoubted boss man of Hollywood was Citizen Kane who, in his classic movie, Orson Welles, told the story of the man who makes the art film to end all art films, goes mad with power and never shoots another good scene. The audience may have panned it but the critics flocked to see it."

--Miles Kingsley

Writing about movies (to paraphrase Joseph Losey on the subject of acting) requires pinning your heart on your sleeve for all to see. If someone comes up to you and asks what that ugly red spot on your arm is, you are devastated. But the demands of readers force you to expose your opinions without couching them in words like "perhaps" and "maybe." Standing behind someone reading my column last Friday I was more than amused to hear his response: "You'd think he (Hetherington) would have gone to the film committee meetings before tearing them apart." I do and I am, and what difference does it make anyway?

One doesn't have to attend very many of these meetings to realize that the committee is at best confused, and at worst schizoid. When this amorphous glob of collegians, who met once a quarter and argued about the "inner meaning" of *All the Loving Couples* (no kidding) got together two weeks ago to choose next quarter's movies, an uncommonly perceptive member almost distinguished himself by asking, "What is our purpose, anyway? To entertain the campus or to educate it?" Before anyone listening could respond another member blurted out that he wanted *The Magic Christian* on the list, a film which is neither educative nor entertaining.

As a relentless movie buff I demand intellectual edification and entertainment at the same time. The first without the second is a lecture, the second without the first is an orgy, and LCB film committee has no business providing either.

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There were probably more faculty and students downtown last Friday night to see *Fiddler On The Roof* than there were on campus for *The Wild Angels*. (Score one for the discriminating audience.) When it comes to a film like *Fiddler*, criticism and immunology necessarily overlap. From the looks on the faces of the crowd it would appear that if one resists this movie, he does so in vain. It seems that many people are not only willing to be sapped by this sappy material, but are also willing to grab the emotional blackjack out of Teyve's hands and beat themselves with it. The director's cement touch coupled with singularly uninspiring performances have turned this intimate tale into *Ben-Hur* sans chariot race. The flight of the Jews from Anatevka reminded me of Napoleon's retreat from Russia in *War and Peace*. As critic Paul Morgenstern put it so well, "*Fiddler* is a touching and tender show, but the movie swallows it whole. We only hear it wailing like Prokofiev's duck singing in the belly of the wolf."

**SHORT SUBJECTS:** Besides dropping four scenes from the movie since it was first released, the intermission in *Fiddler* came one scene too early. This defies intelligent explanation... Woody Allen's *Everything You Always Wanted To Know*, etc., is advertised downtown. Past experience shows that this doesn't necessarily mean it will ever play there... The *Forbidden Planet* this weekend is another in a long line of "travelling vehicle" pictures that have thrilled audiences -- from rocket ships to motorcycle epics to car racing movies which Freudians call Auto-eroticism)... If you missed *The Wild Child* last week you might have missed the best movie of the quarter... Don't miss Mike Nichol's *Virginia Woolf* tomorrow night.

## Art Review Message Lost In Medium

By Pam Hostetler

Two controversial artists connected with Northern Illinois University will be showing their work simultaneously in Frick Museum until October 15. The exhibit consists of 16 prints done by David Driesbach and 14 air brushed canvases plus two mixed-media pieces by Michael Ransdell. Each represents a different era in art devel-

opment, but both share in common the way in which they fail.

Driesbach's style is reminiscent of Marc Chagall, the Russian painter and print maker, especially in the lavish use he makes of particular symbols: flowers in vases, stringed instruments (especially the violin), birds in unexpected places, flying figures, and crucifixes. It is interesting to note one ever

present object -- a portrait of the artist, occasionally playing the violin, usually wearing a black top hat. In view of the spiritual overtones of the pieces and some of their titles, we might extend the allusion to say that Driesbach, in some senses a religious painter, like Chagall.

At any rate, the symbolism is, in some cases excessive and confusing. The resulting chaos stems from an accentuation of these items of interest in the pieces at the expense of aesthetic appeal.

Something of the same is true of Ransdell's work. There seems to be some kind of piercing message intended that does not quite come across. Perhaps Ransdell, like Driesbach, attempts too much on each canvas. More likely, the statement made is so esoteric as to be inscrutable. One canvas is a particularly good illustration. The backdrop is rich drapery, the colors somber black and tan, the subject none other than a sheep's anus.



Last Sunday things were really cookin' in McGaw Chapel as the Bill Dobbins Trio staged a concert of Jazz before an enthusiastic audience. The group featured Val Kent on drums, Dobbins on piano, and Roland Paolucci on bass. Dobbins has toured Europe Twice, performing in Amsterdam and Rotterdam. The group is currently doing a stand at the Smiling Dog Saloon in Cleveland. (Photo by Kurth)

## Wooster Really Jumpin' Again

By Randy Powers

Things are always occurring to me. The other day I was sitting in Hygeia, like I do every year about this time, and it occurred to me that this place was really jumping. Nurses and noses running all over the place, all those sick people with thermometers sticking out of their mouths. Hygeia's an exciting place when everybody gets sick at once. And then it occurred to me that this was the first time I had seen anyplace really jumping all quarter, unless you consider the library at night as jumping. Time for the annual apathy lecture.

Something is either very wrong or very right with this place. The latter is doubtful. A year ago there was a Homecoming Boycott and a prison at Attica. Two years ago we were getting over anger at Kent and guilt for not being equally angry over Jackson. Three years ago, Humphrey and Nixon were

all is quiet, and though students have been somewhat apathetic in the past, the apathy this year is stifling. Rip Van Winkle rides again.

Not that people not caring is any surprise. Issues and injustice are things we discuss and grow tired of, not take a stand for and fight. Few people are getting drafted anymore, and those that do aren't likely to get killed. No Americans getting killed--no issue. The Presidential race is at best a disappointment.

For most of us it is the first year we've at all closely followed a race, and it has been a disappointing one for idealism. On campus we haven't been confronted with any demands as yet. No stimulus--no response. I.S.,

GRE's, grad school, and the future are filling up the senior's time. The pinball machines are usually occupied, and I don't know of any dope shortage on campus.

Freshmen seem to be falling, or running, into the same game. Monday there was a panel on racism in America (seven males -- stay tuned for the feminism panel next Monday) sponsored by and for Freshman Colloquium. There has always been

some interest, at least, in talking about racism, and that panel was a good opportunity to talk and listen. Out of about 500 freshmen taking Colloquium, there were no more than 100 freshmen there, many of whom must have been required to go, and I doubt that the 400 that weren't there were absent because they've transcended discussion to higher levels of activism.

No moral outrage. No sense of anger over being lied to. No desire to do the hard work needed to alter this institution and this country of which most of us are a part. Vote Eisenhower-Nixon in '72. Maybe I'll buy a POW bracelet, or maybe I'll go to church.

**Deadline for WINTER URBAN QUARTER applications is NOVEMBER 1st. Please see MR. DAY, Director of Urban Quarter immediately as quotas have already been met in some of our cities.**





## MORE ON

# Community, Dorms Canvassed

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Dorms were canvassed all over campus by volunteers who asked the same questions of the students as were asked of the townspeople: are you registered? as a member of which party? which candidate do you support?

The students' responses were tallied and, as expected, support for McGovern was found to be much stronger than among Wayne County residents. Pete Petrack, a student who coordinates the activities of student volunteers in the county and on campus, reports that the following "projection" was made of the Wooster student vote:

## DORM CANVASS RESULTS:

McGovern	62%
Nixon	38%

The McGovern total includes students leaning or "favorable" to McGovern and undecided students. The Nixon total includes those leaning to or supporting Nixon.

According to Petrack, the issues about which the county residents are most concerned are the environment and the economy. In an effort to determine the main concerns of the voters, both residents and students were asked what is-

sues they would like to know more about. One of the most pressing concerns of residents is the pollution of their environment, especially water pollution. Others often mentioned were inflation and unemployment.

The economy also appeared as the number one concern of COW students. Many expressed a desire to know more about the candidates' stands on related issues such as unemployment and welfare. Many students also expressed a sense of confusion about McGovern's Vietnam proposals.

As a result of the dorm canvass, Whitmore estimated that there are at least 800 McGovern supporters in the student body, of whom about 100 have contributed to the campaign as volunteers in one way or another. Other activities in which COW McGovernites have been and will be involved are:

--Canvass follow-up. As a result of the primary canvassing, volunteers will distribute literature on McGovern's stands on the issues to those who express interest in specific issues.  
--Remember October 9. College students and

townspeople gathered at Democratic Headquarters downtown for a workathon

commemorating the fourth anniversary of the day on which President Nixon set forth his peace proposal and stated that "Those who have had a chance for four years and could not produce peace should not be given another chance."

--Phone canvassing and campaigning for local candidates.

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## Regula Conducts Rap Session

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he did not know enough about Vietnamese politics to say who ought to be in such a government.

He was challenged by a member of the audience for his support of a "regressive" sales tax proposal as opposed to the state income tax, and an extended debate on tax reform ensued. Regula asked his critic, "Do you want a tax law that lets the utility companies pay no income tax and gives them a 10% roll-back on real-estate taxes?", citing this and other faults he claimed were possessed by the state income tax law. He explained that "the real ne-



Daniel Dabbelt polls for McGovern at Saturday's football game. (Photo by Stanley Perdue)

cessities" -- drugs, food, shelter and services -- were exempted from the sales tax proposal and therefore real hardship would not be caused. He admitted that not all elements of the sales-tax proposal were necessarily desirable, but said that "we cannot choose which items of a bill we will support -- we have to accept or reject the whole package" and that he considered the sales tax a better deal on the whole. Also, he justified the provision of law permitting counties to levy "piggy-back" sales taxes on the grounds that some counties needed the money and some did not, and that local officials were better quali-

fied to make the decision than state ones.

Asked about the welfare situation, he said that abuses had to be curbed quickly, or else taxpayers' "backlash" would result in "legitimate needs" not being met. Among the proposals he supported were that all able-bodied male welfare recipients over 16 should be required to apply for work and to do park work if required; that recipients should register for their checks in person; and that the aim of welfare should be to make people productive; "It's wrong to prohibit asking people to work."

Busing, Regula said, is "a poor approach to equalizing education", drawing attention and effort away from other vital educational concerns. He said that the main thrust of education should be to create equal job opportunities and economic equality.

He said that he hoped a volunteer army could be created, but that the draft should be fair if it has to continue. Asked whether a volunteer army would not endanger civilian control over the military, he answered that volunteers would retain "civilian impact" and that there would be no danger if Congress would exercise its responsibility to control the military and regain more authority from the Presidency. He favored the establishment, after the end of the war and the return of P.O.W.s, of a commission to judge draft-evasion cases and decide whether to grant amnesty on an individual basis.

The candidate cited numerous achievements in the field of environmental action, including many recommendations from conservation groups, his being named chairman of the State Senate's Environmental Action Committee despite a lack of seniority, his authorship of the Environmental Protection Agency bill, and his work to regulate strip mining in Ohio.

When someone called him a "liberal Republican", he said that he did not consider himself such, but rather a "progressive legislator" who did not accept all the positions of either party or "run on anyone's coattails".

## MORE ON

## Faculty, Student Panel Discusses Racism

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James Hodges, Chairman of the history department and a member of the staff of the Urban Studies Department, gave a cultural and historical perspective to the problem. Since the earliest years of our country, the race issue has exerted a major influence over the development of American history. "Two worlds of race" have evolved and with the recent rise in blackpower, the two have been forced to meet with as yet undetermined results.

At this point in the program Randy Powers, a senior at the College, spoke of his own view of the situation, that of a middle-class white. He stated that the attitudes of whites toward solving the problem

is of major importance. But his own experiences seem to indicate that whites show little interest in searching for solutions or else do not rise above the level of mere discussion or expression of concern. Whites need some sort of motivation to produce change, he said, to reverse the trend of racism in American history, and they must act before real violence erupts. This threat has produced a tension which is a major disruptive element in the United States today.

The role of whites in the issue was also the subject of the next statement by Solomon Oliver of the Political Science department. He defined the central problem as whether or not whites are willing to deal with racism in all its mani-

festations. The problems of recognizing the forms of racism today is compounded by the fact that many whites still think of racism in terms of the overt racism shown in the Sixties. Consequently, the covert racism of today as shown by many institutions is not as easily apprehended. He predicted many confrontations between blacks and whites on all levels and with varying degrees of animosity. The future of race relations in the U.S. is mainly up to whites, since whites are the problem.

In his statement Raymond Day, Coordinator of the Urban Studies program and member of the Sociology department, presented his own experiences of racism in churches, schools, and job hiring. The programs on campus serve to provide a historical view of the problem and also to look for solutions in the future.

Senior Art McCombs spoke on an earlier theme of the necessity to move from just talk to constructive action. Here he made an important distinction between racist attitudes, which are personal beliefs and thus difficult to eliminate, and racist behavior, which can be eradicated.

Moderator Russell Jones of the Urban Studies staff then opened up the discussion to the panel after bringing up the question of the relationship between personal and institutional



Bob Newman, Campus Council member-at-large, attends racism panel discussion. (Photo by Perdue)

racism and the influences of power structures on developing solutions.

Several of the students and panel members felt that the forces of personal and institutional racism were closely interconnected and mutually affective; they emphasized that racism of both types tended to be self-perpetuating. From there the discussion moved to the relationship of an individual student to the College as a racist institution -- what acquiescence to racist policies implies and the responsibility of the white students to make known their attitudes toward College policies.



Colloquium panel on racism composed of (l to r) Randy Powers, Art McCombs, Raymond Day, Solomon Oliver, David Moldstad, Gerald Sanders, James Hodges, Russell Jones. (Photo by Perdue)



# Americans Ignore Loss of WASP Stingerhood

By Glenn Bucher

The conventions, Republican and Democratic, are now entrenched in historical memory. Senator McGovern's swift and recent fall from the state of puristic grace, via the issues of Eagleton's depressions, the trips of Salinger and Clark, welfare reform, and taxes, now overshadows the convention excitement

fools. And that his horrifying for those of us who have inherited an identity constructed around that stinger. This fact explains in a major way the Democratic confusion at Miami Beach, and the uptight Republicans. At least the Democrats were positive about the flight of the WASP: rather than trying to beat into WASP heads the reality of stingerless-

at the Democratic Convention they came together with their stung victims inside the hall to summon America to "Come Home!" The alienated WASPs are also evident on college campuses, and one suspects even in high schools, if the truth were ever told. They take upon themselves "voluntary poverty" via symbols such as patched jeans, no shoes, and "shoddy" (you know where that label came from!) clothes. They often hate older WASPs, parents included, and are forthright about it. Because they don't like the WASP "system," they drop out, blow up, or drug in. In effect, one of the tragedies of the Republican

the false process of identification has been fierce. Whites are running all over the place assisting their non-white brothers. The primary response to their own alienation has been to lose themselves in the consciousness struggles of others. Only recently has the word gotten out that the solution to WASP alienation lies not in the over-identification with blackness, a symptom of the problem, but with the struggle for WASP liberation among WASPs.

Regarding the above diversion, Afro-American studies programs have unfortunately assisted whites immensely. But this search for false consciousness has occurred not only at a personal level, but also in numerous other programs established by WASP educators. For example, urban studies programs for academic credit have been established, presumably as a response to America's social problem. This provides us whites with another diversion: the city. The assumption seems to be that we need to know more about the city, where the problems of society are most in evidence. Now we know some of that. But once again, we have only recently awakened to the fact that that's no solution at all. It's the barbecued American suburb that needs to preoccupy us: that is, if we are really interested in addressing the problems of our society!

So much for the problem of stingerhood. The argument is that if alienated WASPs are serious about liberation for themselves and those stung by the WASP stinger, then they will begin by looking at the manner in which new history has exposed us as fools and not pets. For example, the word is finally out about our white history, thanks to the blacks, among others. President Lincoln (remember the business about the "party of Lincoln" at Miami?) knew what conditions the slaves lived in; he had some. WASPs need to contemplate their own stingerless condition, take seriously the fact that those who still think the stinger is in fact are their parents in whose footsteps they tread more than they would wish, and then begin to construct a new image and identity that considers this past history, present realities, and future possibilities. Putting it differently, E. Gordon Dalbey, Jr. says: "To be human is to have a particular history and to aspire to go beyond the limitations in that history."

To accept one's own humanness is to be passionate about one's aspirations and compassionate about one's limitations; and to be thus passionate and compassionate is to accept the humanness of others."

In conclusion, are there

clues for examining the flight of stingerless WASPs which can point us in a liberated direction? Because white racism is one of the recently-exposed foolishnesses that has undermined our status as history's pets, and since our future flight is predicated upon dealing with that reality (and not the black symptoms), it is important to hear from Robert W. Terry, author of FOR WHITES ONLY. He says: "What seems to be happening is that serious wrestling and action around racism is radicalizing people in a way few other contemporary issues except perhaps the war in Vietnam has done. To unpack racism—American style—is one decisive way to drive to the heart of the American historical and contemporary experience. To face racism and do battle with it is to come out a different kind of person. . . . Racism, we have painfully learned, is not just one problem among many in America, but a presupposition of the cultural, institutional, and power realities in which much American policy is made and remade. To attack racism is to attack American normalcy." In other words, the process of new identity construction might well begin with an analysis of racism. Apparently, the Republican WASPs (and some Democratic ones, too) fail to understand. That is why they are eager to endow a few non-WASPs with stingers while remaining oblivious to the fact that the mainstream status that stingerhood assures is already corrupted by racism. The implication of Terry's statement is that a Republican coronation such as we have just witnessed is antithetical to seriousness about racism. A WASP worldview and accompanying life-style are racist, and more aims for the poor—in Vietnam or Harlem—will not do. The Democrats, on the other hand, at least made noises that they partially understand.

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which, in some mouths, has turned from honey to ashes. Unfortunately, those critics who are insisting that the Senator has suddenly become a hypocritical old liberal politician seem to have lost sight of the opposition and its peculiar variety of sin. The Republicans have problems of their own. The Watergate Caper and what that involves is serious enough. However, wait until Jack Anderson remembers that when Vice President Agnew was introduced at the convention, the band played what sounded like "Bensy, Teensy, Spider" for the cheering thousands. Someone is certain to demand an explanation. Perhaps the band was more prophetic than most such organizations: they posed, albeit unknowingly, one of the important questions faced by the American electorate this fall. Will Spiro be washed down the political spout in '72 or '76? Or will the Republican sun, which seems to shine by command only on the "just," come quickly to his rescue?

What was enacted in Miami Beach this summer is far more serious than it may seem. There really is only one issue in this year's presidential election: whether the earth is round or flat! No, that is not exactly the issue, but the real one is not far removed. As one enters the polling booth this November he will need to choose between those who view the world as a tidy WASP-nest, with Americans serving as king and queen WASPs, and on the other hand, those who understand that historical change still does occur, that even maturity, and that truth and might are not automatically identical. The political issue this fall is really the one of ideology, of consciousness, and of identity. That was made evident at the respective conventions.

The Democrats "let it all hang out," so to speak. They seem to know that American WASPs are losing their stingers. We are passing, in Peter Schrag's words (THE DECLINE OF THE WASP), from history's pets to history's

ness, they rather simply and eloquently showed up in Miami Beach with the STUNG ONES. In other words, those who've taken the stingers for too long and who are tired of it, finally had their say. The Republicans, on the other hand, went to great lengths to show and tell that all the WASPs still have their stingers, that stingers are available on an honorary basis for a few not endowed by nature with them, and that the purpose of this political campaign is to sting the hell out of those who are trying to say that stingers have been passed on to a new generation of Americans, thereby altering in a dramatic fashion the art and meaning of "the sting." Indeed, this is a serious matter—the problem of stingerhood!

Let us begin with those who still think their stingers are intact. For them, the Republican Convention was therapy glorious. What they heard reaffirmed (but they really had not doubted much!) was that the WASPs continue to inherit the earth, that insects around the globe are exceedingly grateful for that that though stinging is not always pleasant or popular, it is always necessary, that weak-kneed WASPs undermine the honor of the tradition of WASPs, and that Richard the WASP and Spiro the spider-WASP (a special hyphenated variety of Greco-American WASP) will continue to sting on behalf of their country, so help them God! In some respects, the message was a warmed-over Social Darwinism that WASPs have often been known to feed on: fit WASPs will continue to survive, while unfit ones won't. All glory, laud, and honor be to the work ethic.

Stingerhood as a problem also surfaces among the sons and daughters of these established WASPs. They are the visible ones who purposely seek out ways to deny, demean, or disinherit their waspy stingers. Such alienated WASPs are evident everywhere. That makes those responsible for the WASP-nest system anxious. At the Republican Convention, they were not permitted inside the nest, so they protested from beyond the walls and police barricades. On the other hand,

Convention was that most of the sons and daughters of those WASPs (except, of course, the 5000 or so "who paid their own way" weren't visible and couldn't be heard. Their voices may have said a great deal about how tenuous this stingerhood of our's really is. But there is another tragedy, too. Alienated WASPs have too often failed to understand that who they are (or perhaps, were) is quite closely tied with what they hate.

At a more serious level, the loss of stingerhood has thrown into disarray the adolescent identities of many young WASPs. And there seems to be nowhere within the WASP next to turn. The most one can find is the collective affirmation that young WASPs are feeling stingerless, that consciousness and identity among young WASPs are up for grabs, and that the road from alienation to liberation (after all, alienation is analogous to the condition of stingerlessness) is unclear and unmarked. So what happens? Young alienated WASPs go flying off to other nests. They begin to read about how blacks have been stung by WASPs and then they lose themselves in the black struggle to attain a respectable variety of identity. Alienated WASPs have even been known to imitate blacks. There are other similar and numerous examples of escape, too. Indians, Chicanos, and now even female WASPs are involved in a serious struggle for an identity other than the one they inherited from MOM. The problem is that all this leaves the poor alienated young male WASPs in the lurch. His choices include returning to become an establishment WASP of the Miami Beach variety, or losing himself in a consciousness struggle that is only short-lived in terms of anything positive for an alienated WASP.

Perhaps it is also worth noting some of the diversions the academic community has provided for alienated WASPs. Because college students have been reading about consciousness struggles among blacks,

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Feminists attend first meeting of NOW. (Photo by Kurth)

## NOW Organizes On Campus Feminists Set Tentative Agenda

"They take you to their room and tell you to sip more wine and if you won't go to bed, they won't recognize you the next day," said one freshman about the men on campus, at the first meeting of the National Organization for Women (NOW), last Thursday night, October 5.

NOW held an organizational meeting with Elaine Vraulo leading it. Vraulo is the only member of an SGA subcommittee on the feminist movement. "The meeting," she said, "is to find out what you want done and what you don't want done."

The topics ranged from

gym credits for girls on varsity sports to sex. There were 12 girls, including a faculty wife, present at the meeting.

Some of the goals for this year are a speaker of eminence in the feminist movement; 23 out of 24 open hours and co-ed dormitories.

Larry Kurth suggested a Dial-line be started and he anticipated getting NOW involved in it.

The meeting lasted for one hour, ending at 8:30, and was only an introduction. The next meeting is unscheduled as yet, but they hope to get more people, including men, in attendance.

## Using CC Funds Sections Sponsor Homecoming

Inter - Section Council (ISC) received a \$100 appropriation from Campus Council to finance a Homecoming parade, floats, queen contest and bonfire, which were cut from the program by Lowry Center Board (LCB) last spring.

Speaking for the ISC, Jeff Krabill remarked, "we'd like to pick-up where LCB feels its not their work."

Enumerating expenditures, Krabill told Council that \$25 would be allotted for flowers to be presented to the Homecoming Queen, \$10 for a crown, \$25 for the Queen's gift, \$15 for a bonfire and \$25 for printing expenses.

Bob Newman, Council MORE ON

member-at-large, moved that Council grant the funds. Dividing 6-1-3, the motion was adopted.

Casting the only negative vote, Council Chairman Jim Turner explained, "I'm not keen on Homecoming Queens." SGA President John Browder added that he would not be too happy rewarding a woman \$25 for her beauty.

According to Krabill, the Director of Alumni Relations Edward Arn would like to see this program done, but, he emphasized, "in a tasteful manner."

Turner suggested that since "the alumni like to see it, perhaps they'd like to pay for it."

A Subcommittee report on Council's composition, delivered by Newman, listed procedure for seeking the addition of three student Council members. The question will be brought before the SGA General Assembly next Monday, he said. If approved, "which I assume will come," he added, the issue will be placed on a referendum. At least 50 percent of the students must vote, Newman elaborated; of these, two-thirds approval is necessary for passage.

## IFQ: Alternative

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on the contrasts and similarities of the areas. The second aspect, entitled 'Concepts of Education,' works through small discussion groups in which the students, through their reading and experiences, look at the purposes or potential purposes of a college education, and examine alternatives to existing structures. The idea for the third component -- an audit program -- came from an educational development at the University of South Carolina. In this part of IFQ, the student sits in on a variety of classes, following his own interests.

From his experience, he can not only see how different disciplines handle their subject matter, but he is provided with a broad exposure to the academic offerings at the College of Wooster before making commitments to any individual classes.

The IFQ program fulfills the Colloquium requirement, and in addition the participant accumulates two general education credits. In the future, Herring would like to see one of these credits applied towards the distribution requirement.

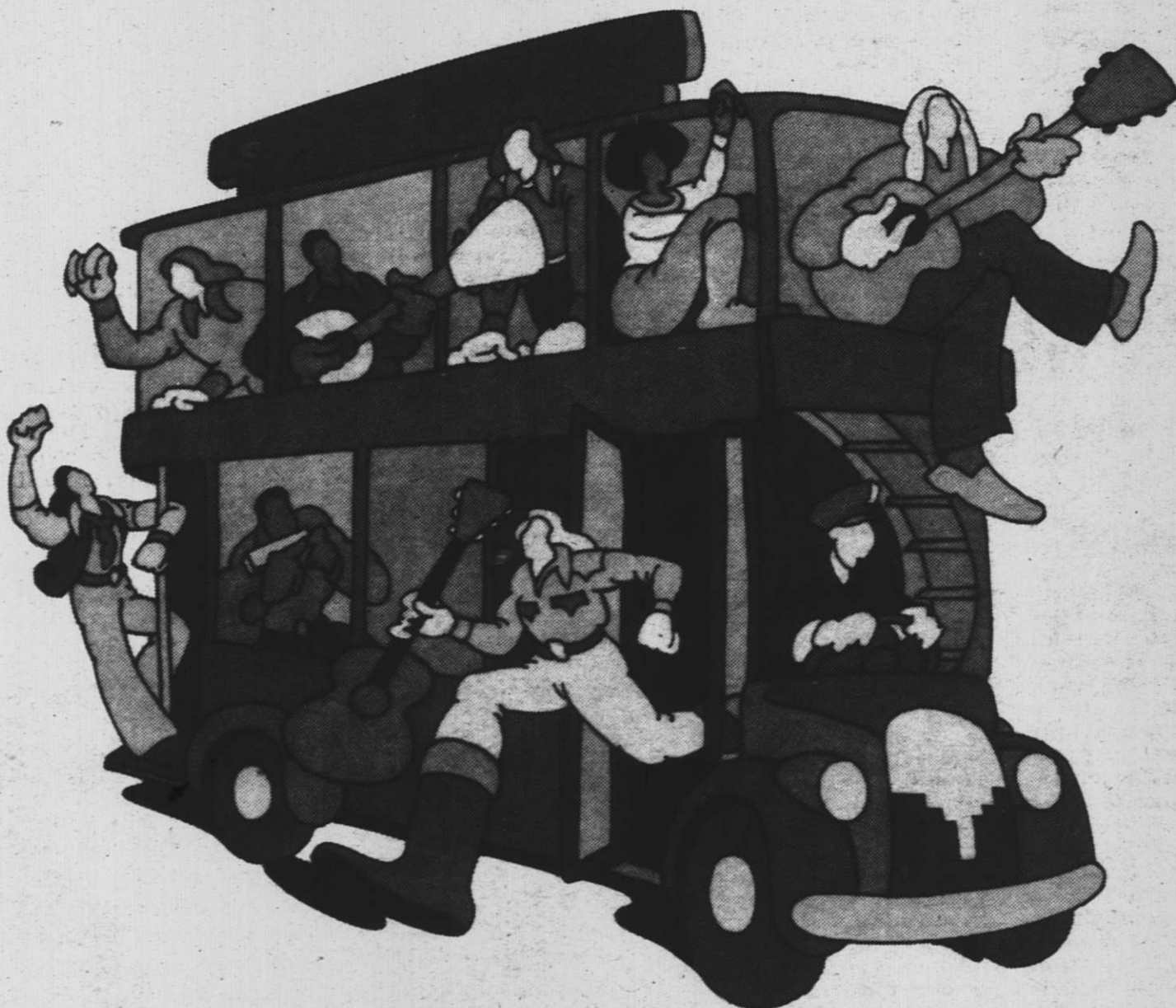
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# Scots Hang On To Beat Carroll

By John Hull

Using a Woody Hayes type offense, the Fighting Scots rebounded from a loss to defeat John Carroll, 20-14, Saturday. Jumbo Dillon led the Scot rushing attack with 111 yards in 20 carries. Jim Ratleff had 90 yards as the Scots did nothing but run off tackle all afternoon.

The Scots scored first in the second quarter as Dillon, playing his best game as a Scot, capped a 36 yard drive with a six yard burst. The Blue Streaks came right back, however, unleashing a powerful passing attack. On third down and 18 on the Wooster 40, the Scots secondary seemed to be caught by surprise when Kraft, the John Carroll quarterback, threw long. The result was a 42 yard pass and run and a 7-7 halftime score.

John Carroll came right back again in the third quarter, mixing passes and runs to drive in for the lead TD. Wooster, refusing to play dead, came right back

with a drive of their own, with Dillon taking the ball in from the two for what should have been the tying score. Macoritti, however, was having a bad day and was wide on the conversion to leave the Scots down by one. Mac also missed two field goals in what turned out to be, for him, a miserable afternoon.

The Scots scored their final TD in much the same manner, running down the field, at four yards a crack to the 6 where Ratleff bulldozed in for the score.

With little over three minutes to go in the game, the Streaks had far from given up. They took the ensuing kickoff and marched down the field, chewing up real estate at a rate that was alarming. Unlike Wooster's panic offense of two weeks ago, Kraft confidently drove his team down the field towards the winning score. In the end, he was robbed of what seemed the

inevitable winning score when Dave Foy intercepted a pass inside the Scot ten with less than a minute to play.

Impressive, outside of the Scot running attack, was junior quarterback Joe Grunda who got into the game in the fourth quarter and completed both his passes for 25 yards (the Scots had only 49 yards passing in the game) and also had a 44 yard TD strike called back on an illegal procedure penalty.

Disappointing, outside of Macoritti's bad day, was the number of fumbles Wooster had, 5, even though they only lost one, and the number of penalties, especially illegal procedure, that they were assessed with.

The run defense faltered a little, giving up over 100 yards for the first time, but the real disappointment was the secondary. After looking better against Kenyon, they had a relapse last week. John Carroll was able to move the ball through the air almost at will, and except for two key thefts would have won on that account. The Scots gave up a total of 188 yards through the air and while Kraft was a good quarterback, the Scots are going to face many good QBs this season, notably from Baldwin Wallace.

Tomorrow it's Mount Union, one of Wooster's only two losses last year. They also have a passing attack. After the Kenyon loss every Ohio Conference game is a must game if Wooster hopes to keep alive for the championship. The must games start tomorrow.



Scot defenders Ken Evans (24) and Bob Buchanan (21) break up a pass intended for John Carroll's Tim Barrett (41) as John Buchanan (26) moves in. (Photo by Rick Legge)

## Intramurals Expand; Scoring Changed

Anybody want to shoot 50 foul shots? Who wants to play a game of big whist, yuccor, or bridge? How about a ping pong match?

This year you'll see all of these sports and a few more besides as the College of Wooster men's intramurals program takes on a new look. Gone are the days when one section could lay claim to the traveling trophy with a couple of first places in the major sports (football, basketball, volleyball, and softball) without even bothering to compete in the other intramural sports.

Emphasis 1972-73 is on versatility.

Andy Cline, Russ Phifer, and the Intramural Council have put together a program that places more varying emphasis on different sports. And more of the campus community, section members and independents alike, will be able to participate.

The intramural sports this year have been classified into three categories, major, middle, and minor. Judgement made on classifying sports was based on enthusiasm, interest, and number of participants. The major sports have already been mentioned. The middle sports are bowling, golf, and tennis. The minor sports include billiards, foul shooting, table games, and table tennis.

Points for the intramural traveling trophy will be awarded on the following scale:

ing scale:

	Major	Middle	Minor
1st Place	90	65	40
2nd Place	75	50	25
3rd Place	60	40	20
4th Place	45	30	15
5th Place	30	20	10
6th Place	15	10	5

In keeping with its new look, some additional experiments will be upcoming. In addition to or replacing the usual tournaments, all-star games with other schools, such as Ashland, will be held. The best from every section will be represented on these "dream" teams.

During the winter a wrestling tournament will be held on a trial basis. No points will be awarded, but if enough interest is shown, wrestling should become an intramural sport next year.

Even girls will be allowed to join section teams, if they can meet section requirements. That is, at least until the WRA violently objects.

Anything and everything relating to intramurals will be found on the new bulletin board outside of Scot Lanes. Schedules, standings, team recognition, and individual recognition will all be posted. The bulletin board will become the center for intramural activity.

Intramurals 1972-73 is looking for you.

So why don't you get out the basketball, the deck of cards, and the ping pong paddle?



Fullback John Hollowell (in white sweatshirt) heads the ball away from an Oberlin player in the Scot's 3-1 triumph last Saturday. Earlier in the week, the booters beat Kenyon 2-0.

## Denison Sweeps GLCA Meet

by Al Millikan

Legs were churning, arms were flailing and desires were burning.

After Saturday's Great Lakes College Association cross-country meet at the College of Wooster, 56 harriers were learning that Denison has quite a cross-country team.

The stampede of GLCA athletes started a little past 11:00 Saturday morning on the women's field hockey field.

It was a sight to behold. Amass of 63 bodies took off together. The fine physiques were clad in a dazzling array of colors representing the various GLCA schools. From a third story window in Babcock Hall the race looked like some sort of conglomerate monster was descending on the campus.

They took off together, but the hills of Wooster demanded a lot. Five miles and 28 minutes later the

harriers started coming in, first a pair, then one by one.

The Black and Gold of Wooster fared well. Andy Naumoff came on strong to finish in fifth place. Andy was followed by Dave Brown, Jay Frick, his fellow co-captain Bob Brown, and Bill Twiss. They finished 13th, 14th, 16th, and 21st respectively.

The Fighting Scots finished 3rd overall, edged out of second by a single point by Kalamazoo College, 69-68.

But neither the C.O.W. nor K.C. were a match for D.U.

Hand in hand, Big Red's Jim Alexander and Ron Blackmore crossed the finish line, 13 seconds ahead of their closest rival, teammate John Higley.

This finish appropriately symbolized the team dominance of the Big Red from Denison University. They ran away from the rest, and they went home with

the best (or at least one of the best), the GLCA championship.

Maybe next year eight schools will be a bit more discerning.

Like by not inviting Denison to the annual GLCA cross country meet.



Wooster harriers jumped off to an early lead in last Saturday's GLCA meet here.





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